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Man Sentenced to Prison for Killing Neighbor in La Puente

A 31-year-old man was sentenced to prison today for fatally beating a neighbor nearly three years ago, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

At today's court appearance, Flavio Macias Jr. was sentenced to 58 years to life in state prison.

Macias Jr.'s brother and co-defendant, Jonathan Macias, is scheduled to be sentenced on Sept. 19 in Department L of the Los Angeles County Superior Court, Pomona Branch. He faces 15 years to life in state prison.

On June 13, a jury found Flavio Macias Jr. guilty of first-degree murder in case KA110524. Jurors also found true a special allegation that the defendant personally used a deadly and dangerous weapon, a hammer, during the commission of the killing. Jonathan Macias, 26, was convicted of second-degree murder.

Deputy District Attorney Michelle Weiske, who prosecuted the case, said on Aug. 24, 2015, Flavio Macias Jr. attacked his neighbor, Luis Segura, 44, with paving stones and a hammer. Jonathan Macias served as a lookout.

When sheriff's deputies arrived at the location, the Macias brothers barricaded themselves in their home. Law enforcement used tear gas and a K-9, at which point the defendants exited the home and were arrested, the prosecutor added.

The case was investigated by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

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